

*Stated Meeting, July 21, 1882.*

Present, 3 members.

Dr. CRESSON, in the Chair.

Letters of acknowledgment were received from Dr. B. A. Gould of Cardova; the Musée Guimet; the Soc. Zoologique de France; Royal Irish Academy; and Adelaide Observatory.

A request from the Meteorological Society of London, 1838-40, was on motion granted.

On the President's recommendation it was ordered that the Leander McCormick Observatory of Virginia University be placed on the list of correspondents to receive the Proceedings.

A copy of Proceedings No. 111, just published, was laid on the table for inspection.

The copy of Dr. G. B. Wood's portrait in the University, by Miss M. W. Lesley, ordered by the Society, was exhibited.

Donations for the Library were received from the Asiatic Society of Japan; the Natural History Societies at Emden, Geneva and Bonn; the Academies at Brussels, Turin and Rome; Prof. E. Renevier, Lausanne; the Soc. de Geographie; Prof. Persifor Frazer; M. H. Brocard, of Paris; the Société Geographique Commerciale, Bordeaux; the Revista Euskara, Pamplona; Royal Astronomical Society, Journal of Forestry and Nature, and Messrs. William Tebb and G. J. Symons, of London; the Field Naturalist of Manchester; the Mitchell Library of Glasgow; the Literary and Historical Society of Quebec; the Observatory at Yale College and Prof. E. Loomis; Connecticut Academy; American Journal of Science; Essex Institute; Boston Society of Natural History; Prof. W. M. Davis; American Journal of Medical Sciences; Franklin Institute; Journal of Pharmacy, Library Company and Mercantile Library at Philadelphia; Prof. J. S. Newberry; U. S. National Museum; Chief of Engineers; Coast Survey; Edward C. Pickering; Historical and Geological Society at Wilkesbarre; Ohio Mechanics' Institute; Antiquarian and Oriental Journal; Minnesota Academy, and Adelaide Observatory.

Pending nominations Nos. 959 to 963 were read and balloted for and the following were declared duly elected members:

Prof. Léon de Rosny, of Paris.

Hon. Edward Sève, Consul Gen. Belgium to U. S. A.

Mr. Joseph Snowden Bell, of Philadelphia.

M. Gaston Planté, of Paris.

Mr. Alexander Graham Bell, of Washington, D. C.

And the meeting was adjourned.

*Stated Meeting, August 18, 1882.*

Present, 3 members.

Curator, Mr. PHILLIPS, in the Chair.

Letters accepting membership were received from Mr. J. Snowden Bell, dated Philadelphia, 913 Walnut Street, July 26, 1882.

From Mr. Alexander Graham Bell, dated McCurdy Cottage, Newport, R. I., Aug. 7, 1882.

And from Mr. Léon de Rosny, dated Paris, No. 47 Avenue du Quêrne, Aug. 5, 1882.

Acknowledgments of the receipt of publications were received from the R. A. Amsterdam (105, 106, 107, 108, List, XV, iii); the Society at Würtemberg (107, 108, XV, iii); the Zoological Society in Amsterdam (109); the London Statistical Society (109); the Geological Survey of Canada (110, 111); the Maryland Historical Society (111); the Museum of Comp. Zoology (111) and Mr. A. Agassiz (111).

Envoy letters were received from the R. A. Amsterdam; the Bib. Nat. Vitt. Em. at Rome; and the Greenwich Observatory.

Donations to the Library were received from the Frankfort Zoological Garden; the Vienna Anthropological, Geological, Zoological and Meteorological Institutions; the Berlin Acad-